IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI JACKSON DIVISION

JAMES N. JACKSON, #30895

PETITIONER

VERSUS

CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:05cv579WHB-JCS

RONALD W. KING AND JIM HOOD

RESPONDENTS

<u>ORDER</u>

The Court is in receipt of a letter-motion [13-1] from the <u>pro se</u> petitioner in the above entitled action in which he states that he wishes to either have his case held in abeyance or to voluntarily dismiss the above entitled action. The Court is of the opinion that the letter-motion is well taken and should be granted to the extent that this cause shall be **dismissed without prejudice**.

SO ORDERED this the <u>16th</u> day of March, 2006.

s/ James C. Sumner
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE